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PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 0851317023-00000

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)

Holmes et al.)

Serial No.: 09/529,873)

Filed: July 27, 2000)

For: POLYMERIC MATERIALS FOR)
ELECTROLUMINESCENT DEVICES)

Group Art Unit: 1711

Examiner: D. Truong

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed is a reply to the Office Action of June 10, 20-03. The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

- ☐ Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) for a month(s) extension of time to respond to the above Office Action. The fee of \$ for the Extension is enclosed.

The claims are calculated below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total	32	-	31	1	x \$ 18	\$ 18.00
Indep.	10	-	2	8	x \$ 84	672.00
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Subtotal						\$ 690.00
Reduction by 1/2 if small entity						- 0
TOTAL						\$ 690.00

- ☒ A fee of \$690.00 to cover the cost of the additional claims added by this reply is enclosed.
- ☐ A fee of \$ to cover is enclosed.
- ☐ A check for \$ to cover the above fee(s) is enclosed.
- ☒ Declaration of inventor Professor Andrew Holmes.
- ☒ Copies of references: Hsieh et al., "A New Family of Highly Emissive Soluble Poly(p-phenylene vinylene) Derivatives. A Step toward Fully Conjugated Blue-

Emitting Poly (*p*-phenylene vinylenes)," *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* 1998, 120 pp. 231-232 and Short Lifetimes of Light Emitting Polymers" by Jeffrey Frederick Gold of the University of Cambridge.

☒ A copy of the diagram which Applicant submitted with its response of November 5, 2002.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Dated: September 10 2003

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